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	First Named Inventor	Claus-Christian Steeg
	Art Unit	3612
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Effective on 12/08/2004. Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818). FEE TRANSMITTAL For FY 2008		Complete if Known	
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1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	310	155	510	255	210	105	
Design	210	105	100	50	130	65	
Plant	210	105	310	155	160	80	
Reissue	310	155	510	255	620	310	
Provisional	210	105	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	210	105
Multiple dependent claims	370	185

Total Claims 21 - 21 = 0 x 0 = 0 **Fee Paid (\$)** 0

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In re application of:

Claus-Christian STEEG *et al.*

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For: POLYMER ENERGY ABSORBER
FOR MOTOR VEHICLE AND
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Art Unit: 3612

Examiner: Jason S. MORROW

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action dated September 28, 2007, Applicant submits the following Amendment and Remarks. It is not believed that extensions of time or other fees are required beyond those that may otherwise be provided for in documents accompanying this paper. If, however, additional extensions of time are needed to prevent abandonment of this application, such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefore (including fees for net addition of claims or any other fee deficiency), are hereby authorized to be charged, and any overpayments credited to, our Deposit Account No. 22-0261, referencing our docket number 32128-213761. Please amend the Application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are noted on page 4 of this paper.

A Summary of the Substance of the Interview is set forth on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.